

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Claims 2, 3 and 5-19 are pending. Claims 5, 10, and 12 have been amended. Claims 1 and 4 have been cancelled. No new matter has been added.

Claims 1, 3, 4, and 10 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 102(e) as being anticipated by Kim et al. Applicants traverse the rejection. Claims 3 and 10 have been amended to depend from claim 5 and are allowable for at least this reason. Claims 1 and 4 have been canceled to be possibly pursued in a subsequent application.

Claims 1-3 and 10-12 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Weimer in view of Kim et al. Applicants traverse the rejection. Claims 2-3 and 10-12 now depend from claim 5 and are allowable for at least this reason. Claim 1 has been canceled as explained above.

Applicants thank the Examiner for allowing claims 13-19 and indicating claims 5-9 include allowable subject matters. Claim 5 has been amended to incorporate the features of claims 1 and 4 to place claim 5 in condition for allowance.

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CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing, Applicants believe all claims now pending in this Application are in condition for allowance and an action to that end is respectfully requested.

If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at 650-326-2400.

Respectfully submitted,



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